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At 11 o'clock a portion of about thirty ... of the state university, armed with ... arrived in the city. The ... commanded by Capt. J. A. Rush, ... of Lawrence. They marched from the depot ... principal streets to the capitol. ... They drew up in line before the Ninth street ... and gave the hearty yells for their ... In their ranks were many members ... of the football team, including A. E. Sher... C. W. Dunn and Dean Foster. At the ... Copeland hotel all the ... of legal age signed ... the call made by Sheriff Wilkerson for ... deputies and were sworn in.

THE POPULISTS TIRED.

The ... by Sheriff Wilkerson's ... action ... so critical a one, and one so filled ... with ... difficulties, that the Populists ... had ... not to meet it.

At noon the governor held a conference ... with the Populist house members and various ... of the party. The governor ... that the militia could not be depended upon ... to carry out his orders; that the resistance ... of 125 ... composing the force of deputy ... and 100 provisional troops, all ... that could be ... upon to stand by ... be ... before the sheriff's posse of ... 1,000. ... decided to hire a hall down ... town for the Populists' house, and there the ... meetings of the Populist house will be held ... until the difficulties are settled.

This action is looked upon by some as a ... "bluff," but it is generally regarded as the ... logical outcome of the sheriff's action, ...

At 8 o'clock this afternoon three deputy ... sheriffs ... in an effort to pass the military ... guard at the east entrance to capitol square ... without permission from the governor. The ... sergeant in authority said he was in doubt ... about admitting men as deputy sheriffs, but ... finally ... ...

Five minutes later when the three deputies ... started from the capitol building the ... sergeant told them that they would ... have ... before they could again enter the ... capitol grounds. They said that they would ... see about it and went to the Copeland hotel ... where the 500 deputy sheriffs were congregated and reported the matter. The deputies ... all agreed that when they should get ready ... to go through the lines they would not wait ... for ... from the governor. The 500 deputies then organized in squads of twenty-five ... with one man in charge of each squad.

The Populists of Shawnee county have ... gun to ... the sheriff has ... sworn in so many deputies. Deputy sheriffs ... are paid $2 a day, so Shawnee county will ... have to ... $1,000 for the army of deputies ... on duty to-day.

The ... now talking eventually ... about the governor's proposition which is ... in ... action by the Republicans.

The affair ... brought in hundreds ... of ... from all ... of Kansas. They ... all ... it is ... intense ... at Topeka, for ... have ... not. ... the governor Lewelling ... ...

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And he passed and still no troops appeared ... the Republicans settled down ... At noon a wagon load ... was hurried to the Republican ... the guns stated the house ... for two days.

THE SITUATION ...

... Governor Lewelling ... appeared at the hall ... expressing the ... adopted ... proposition from ...

... the interest of ... will withdraw ... the Republicans ... interfered ... that no pro... ... the arrest of Ben ... Populist ... disturbed by the ... and that the ... discharge ... to enter ... the Republicans and state ... until the close of ... the legislature.

... proposition Mr. Close ... to the Republicans ... there was no doubt of the ... other side of the ... shedding of blood was an ... thing to ... plate, and he believed ... settled without ... proceeding to such an extreme measure. Having ... the Mr. Close retired and the ... proceeded to consider the prop...

THE PROPOSITION CONSIDERED.

The house was at first not disposed to do ... the proposition, but after a ... was voted to appoint a committee of five to prepare a counter-proposition to the governor. At 2 ... the committee returned to report. The committee after deliberating twenty minutes reported ... as follows:

That a counter proposition be submitted to the governor that as the Republicans have ... proceedings in the supreme court, the Republicans dismiss all proceedings in contempt except the Dunn case; that the sheriff dismiss his deputies; that the governor dismiss the militia from duty; that the Republicans have full and undisturbed possession of the hall of the house of representatives; that the Republicans will not interfere with the Dunsmore house; that this agreement remain in force until the supreme court decides the test case.

At the suggestion of Chambers of Commerce county the report was referred back to the committee to consult with the lawyers as to the situation the Republicans would be left in should the lawyers in the charge of the Dunn case dismiss it. Rosenthal also suggested that it be stipulated that light and heat be not cut off from the hall.

A COUNTER PROPOSAL.

The house committee made an amended report late in the day which ... adopted. The principal change is that the chief clerks of the rival houses shall be arrested for contempt and their cases submitted by habeas corpus proceedings to the supreme court for an immediate decision, this agreement to be ratified by the signatures of Douglas, Dunsmore and Lewelling.

Discussing the Bond Question.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16.—All sorts of reports are in circulation as to the intention of the administration respecting an issue of bonds to meet the demands for exporting gold. About the treasury department and among New York bankers it is believed Secretary Foster will yield, and issue $50,000,000 or more, and let the bankers who have been exchanging gold for legal tenders have them at par.

At the White House it is not believed an issue of bonds will take place. Of course the bankers are anxious to get the bonds, for it means several millions of dollars profit to them. And with a view to forcing the president from his position against a bond issue the bankers have notified him that they will furnish no more gold. Furthermore, they have cut off as far as possible the inflow of legal tender, which have been the means of obtaining gold. And to this they have added an increased demand for export gold.

It is a question of millions of profit to the bankers in New York and the maintaining of the government's credit on the part of the president and Treasurer Foster. Great interest is taken in the contest and little else is talked of at the capital. If a bond issue takes place the Democrats will fire heavy shots into the administration, despite the fact that the secretary and president have for weeks curdled their minds and chew all possible to keep up the government's credit without issuing bonds. If at this late day the administration should weaken or be driven for any reason into a bond issue it will be a good point in politics and will relieve Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Carlisle of much concern, for they, too, are worrying over the gold problem and dreading the necessity of having to issue bonds.

This morning Secretary Foster had a long conference with Treasurer Jordan and Carlisle. The question of the gold situation and issuance of the bonds was the sole subject of conversation. After the conference Secretary Foster talked to a United Press correspondent.

"How do you reconcile the statement made, Mr. Secretary," asked the correspondent, "that you are on record as saying that you will never issue bonds before the $100,000,000 of gold now here is locked with the assertion on authority that the president will issue the $100,000,000 mark before bonds are issued?"

The secretary puffed at a cigar and said: "I am on record over and over again as saying that I will preserve the gold reserve, but there are two other ways of doing it besides issuing bonds. I cannot speak for the president or your authority for upholding him. All I can say is for myself, and I am on record for the preservation of the $100,000,000."

"Is it true that bonds will be issued before Saturday?"

"What? against the president's wishes and you say he is on record against the bonds issue?" said the secretary.

"But it is stated that the president left authority to issue bonds if necessary." The secretary blew a cloud of smoke and said: "But the president is quoted as saying that there shall be no bonds issued."

"How much free gold have you?"

"About $7,500,000," answered the secretary.

New York Stock Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Money ... ranging from 2½ to 3½, last loan at 3 and closing offered at 3.

The stock market was active but extremely irregular, feverish and in the main weak. The hope of immediate relief to the financial situation through government action seems to have been given up entirely and considerable liquidation of long account resulted, though there were generally active all specialists only. The dealings were without special feature.

The sales of listed stocks to-day were ... gated 216,908 shares, and of unlisted stocks 168,... ...

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AROUND THE STATE.

Governor Waite Removes Another Official for Cause

NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The Denver Appointments Confirmed by the Senate A Fatal Explosion at Georgetown A Leadville Fire Other Items.

DENVER, Feb. 16. The governor has decapitated ... again the topic cutting off the ... of U. S. Lagrange, of the state ... of agriculture. Lagrange is charged with wrongfully neglecting the state's interest ... in selling the lands set aside for the ... fund.

The ... charges that worthless land was sold ... good land adjoining that might ... sold at $2.50 per acre, while the land held for ... could be leased for more than ... cents per acre, and in some ... characterized by the governor as ... worthless.

NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

DENVER, Feb. 16.—In the house Mr. Wicks's ... providing for an increase in the number of district judges in the Pueblo district passed the third reading, after which the house went into committee of the whole on general orders with Mr. Slawson in the chair.

Mr. K... bill providing for educational qualifications for voters provided much discussion, but it was finally shelved for the time being and the committee arose and the house adjourned until to-morrow morning.

Almost every member boarded a train at 12 o'clock and went out to Brighton, where a farmers' institute is in session, in accordance with an invitation extended.

SENATE.

The senate went into executive session this morning immediately upon convening, and when the doors were again opened it was announced that the Denver appointments made by the governor had all been confirmed.

After considerable discussion the measure on the liquor traffic was referred back to the committee on agriculture.

Then the senate again went into executive session to consider a message from the governor, relative to the appointment of I. G. Dorr as warden of the State reformatory at Buena Vista for the unexpired term of the late warden, Harrison, who is anxious to be relieved at once on account of the sickness of his wife. The appointment was confirmed. A recess was then taken.

The following adverse committee reports were concurred in at the afternoon session: Senate Bill No. 269 (McGovney) appropriating $ to pay the Groton Iron bridge company the sum of $6,...76, the balance due on account of the G... River bridge, and ... The committee on finance recommended that the bill be ... indefinitely postponed. ... Bill No. ..., (Rose), re-imbursing the contractors for the ... reservoir on Apishapa creek for ... in ... sand and work. The committee on ... recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed. ... Bill No. 384 (White), regulating the price to be charged for ... and parlor cars in the state of Colorado. The committee on corporations and railroads recommended that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

A number of bills were read for the first time and referred to the proper committees.

The senate then went into committee of the whole with Senator Drake in the chair to consider ... bills on ... calendar.

Senate Bill No. 147, (Webber), ... providing ... be ... printed and sent to the ... on revision. ... Senate Bill No. 104, (Armstrong), regulating the hours of labor of mechanics, workingmen and ... laborers, fixing ... hours of labor at ... hours, was ... read by sections. An amendment to ... from this law drew ... the majority of the ... committee claiming that no distinction should be made between ... by a vote ... adjourned.

... Colony Fund.

DENVER, Feb. 16. By request of the minister of ... Mr. Foster ... Governor Waite to issue ... the ... under which the Dutch colonists at ... received ... to this country by the Holland-American Land and Immigration company, the ... that the ... had been ... defrauded.

Gov. Waite referred the ... to Charles A. Man... district attorney for the ... and ... made a ... in which he vigorously criticised the ... company. He stated that the company was not properly incorporated to do ... in Colorado; that the lands described in the ... contract of ... did not belong to the company; that the company only held an option, which expired without being taken up; that the company induced ... colonists to come here by false ... ; that ... provided for by the company; that the colonists in almost every instance claim they were deceived by the company; that they have been compelled to bring suit for the money they played with the company for ... ...

What will ... Holland government will take ... to be ... but it is intimated that the ... responsible for the fraud will be punished.

A Fatal Explosion.

GEORGETOWN, Colo., Feb. 16.—A man by the name of Charles Anderson employed by the Stevens ... in the West Argentine district was instantly killed last night while picking ... in the bottom of the shaft ... from the tunnel level. The shot exploded prematurely, blowing off both arms and ... his body, face and head in a fearful manner.

... Relief.

CANON CITY, Colo., Feb. 16.—The relief party ... started for the Cumberland mine to ... the ... of the ... twenty miles ... being ... that they ... by ... returned to ... The ... found all well at the mine with plenty of provisions on hand.

A ... Fire.

LEADVILLE, Feb. 16.—A large frame building in ... miles ... of Leadville, known as O'Neil's boarding house, ... to the ground this morning. Some ... were ... but escaped without injury. The loss will be about $10,000.

... Feb. 16.—The ... of Dr. Norvin Green, president of the Western Union Telegraph company, died in this city ... other ...

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. ... of the day in the senate ... of Iowa ... of ... ...

... decision on the points of order raised against the various amendments recommended by the committee on appropriations changing the pension laws. Floor relative to the transfer of the pension bureau to the war department ... the ... of ability ... the ... to ... ...

Mr. B... the decision regarding the transfer of the pension bureau. The decision of the chair was sustained, ... to ... After the debate the amendment regarding the transfer was disagreed to, ... to ...

The other amendments ... to reporting pensioners under the act of June ... to show that they are dependent for ... and have not an annual income of $... and proving that ... should be granted a pension if she was not married within five years after the close of the war in which her husband served, were also defeated without division.

During the debate on one of these amendments, Messrs. Terry and Vaughn changed the ... in connection with a statement made by Mr. ... in regard to pensions and greenbacks ... ...

The session of the senate today was occupied in consideration of the sundry civil appropriation bill. An amendment involving the continuance of the office of supervisor of elections gave rise to a long and heated political discussion. After some routine business the senate took up the sundry civil bill. The amendment reducing the amount for a canal at the Cascade on the Columbia river, Oregon, from $1,410,000 to $1,250,000 agreed to; yeas 21, nays 20. The next reserved amendment was one striking out of the provision that no money shall be issued for warrants or arrests or prosecutions under the internal revenue laws, the words "or the laws relating to the election of members of congress." This brought on a political discussion which at times was very personal. No action was taken on the amendment. The conference report on the California debris commission bill was agreed to. Mr. Faulkner gave notice that in consequence of the very serious illness of one of the late Senator Kenna's children, the memorial services for Mr. Kenna were postponed from next Saturday until Feb. 27. Adjourned.

AN EXPLOSION OF GIANT.

Miners Fatally Injured at Cripple Creek—Bank Opened.

Special to THE GAZETTE.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Feb. 16. Jack Spurrel, a miner working for Eaton & Hathaway on their town of Arequa property, was probably fatally injured by the explosion of a stick of giant powder about 11 o'clock this morning. He was holding the powder in his left hand close to a fire in order to thaw it out, when it exploded.

His left hand was blown off above the wrist, his face is badly disfigured and is perfectly black with powder, and his right leg ... terribly ... its entire length. It is only a story of ... in handling giant powder.

A ... in the ... was ... fatally injured by a ... falling ... ...

A NEW BANK.

The First National Bank of Cripple Creek commenced business today. The bank is ... of ... capital of $... It ... ...

WASHINGTON, Feb. 16. The ... of the ... United States ... ...

... provides ... of sovereignty over the ... all the public buildings and property to the United States; the revenue from public lands, except such as are ... for government purposes, to be ... for the benefit of the people of the ... Until ... provides ... and laws of the Hawaiian Islands are continued, subject to the paramountcy of the United States.

A ... commissioner is to be appointed, who shall have power to ... act of ... government. Until ... with the ... Hawaiian islands, both ... United States and foreign governments, ... Further, immigration of Chinese into the islands is prohibited, and Chinese now in the ... will not be permitted to come into the ... territory of the United States.

The public debt of the islands ... by the United States to the extent of $... The United States ... to pay to Queen Liliuokalani $... a year during life, and to Prince Kaiulani $... Provision is made for the exchange of ratifications of the treaty at Honolulu as soon as possible on the part of the United States by the resident commissioner provided for in the treaty.

It will be observed that ... the provisions of the treaty ... President of Hawaii will not ... in the treaty ... by Mr. McKinley, ... would extend it to ... ...

... two government tables giving full details as to the area of the territory proposed to be annexed, the public lands, the annual allowance to the revenues of the royal household, and statistics as to the population and ... commerce and other economic ... relating to the islands, also a bulk of general information ...

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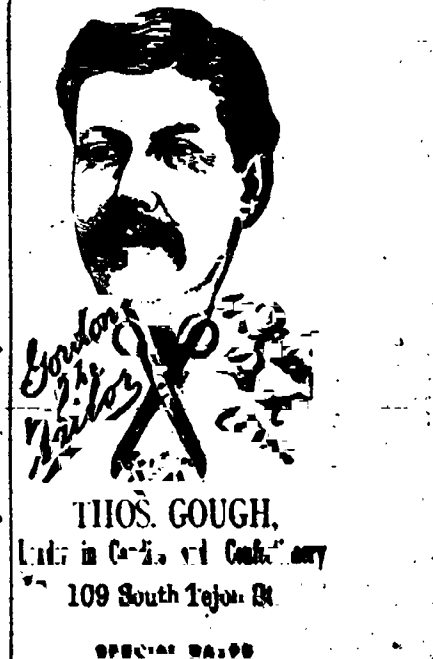

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WHO IS RIGHT IN KANSAS.

There are doubtless many newspaper readers who have rather a hazy idea of this Kansas trouble. They know that two bodies, each claiming to be a House of Representatives, have been holding sessions in the Capitol for a month or more, that the Governor finally barred the State House against the Republican House of Representatives, that thereupon the latter forced an entrance and have since remained in possession and that the Governor has ordered the State militia to eject them. Of the merits of the case however not so many are fully aware. It may be useful, therefore, to give a brief summary of the undisputed facts in the case.

In the first place, it is an undisputed fact that a majority of the members of the House of Representatives, as legally certified by the proper returning officers, were Republicans. The certificates of election showed that the House consisted of 63 Republicans 59 Populists and 3 Democrats. On the face of the returns, therefore, the Republicans had a majority over all, and they organized the House and elected officers.

But the Populists claimed that the face of the returns was incorrect, and instituted contests in some half dozen cases. In every one of these that was brought before a court, the certificate was sustained and the Republican sitting member declared to have been legally elected. But the Populists claimed that the courts were partisan, and refused to abide by their decision. They chose a Speaker without a quorum, and then proceeded to make a quorum by going through the form of unseating enough Republicans and seating enough Populists in their places to bring their number up over sixty three.

Meanwhile the Democratic members had declared their votes in favor of the validity of the House organized by the Republicans so that that House had 66 members, and the Populist House only 59.

Now the Governor recognized the Populist body as the legally organized House and communicated his action to the State.

So far, we believe, we have set forth only what is admitted facts. The Populists claim that they have a legally organized House of Representatives, does not rest upon the decision of the courts, or upon the decision of the courts, it is based upon another claim which has never been legally substantiated the claim that notwithstanding the election of officers or contests the House was elected.

While admitting the facts, the Republicans claim of Representatives has a right to occupy the hall in the capitol, and it follows that if barred out they have a right to force an entrance thereto and remain in possession. It follows also that if an attempt be made by force to eject them, they have the right to use forcible means to prevent the ejectment.

So far as all technical and legal questions are concerned, the Republicans of Kansas are simply standing on their rights. The Populists claim to act under a "higher law" than courts can furnish, the law of "the will of the people." They assume that it is the will of the people that they should rule. They offer no evidence for the assumption. They refuse to abide by the decision of the courts. In fact, they are attempting a revolution. That the legally elected Governor of the State is assisting in the revolution does not alter its character. It is simply an act of usurpation on his part. He is chosen to execute the laws, not to trample on them to carry out the mandates of the courts, not to defy them, to act in conjunction with the legislature, not to constitute it according to his own notions.

Amid the excitement and partisan clamor of the existing contest, these fundamental facts should be borne in mind by all readers of the news. We have tried to set them forth without prejudice or passion, simply desiring to make the situation as clear as may be and enable our readers to judge for themselves as to the rights of each side and the validity and justice of their action.

FACTS ABOUT SUGAR RAISING

That the soil and the climate of this State are adapted to the successful culture of sugar beets may be proved a priori. From similar soil and under less favorable climatic conditions sugar beets of the first quality have been raised. Over in Utah at Lehi, the farmers who cultivate sugar beets have raised crops averaging twelve tons per acre, for which they have been paid at the rate of $5 per ton. After deducting the cost of labor and other expenses, it is estimated by competent authority that the farmer makes a profit of about $22 per acre. This has stimulated production and the coming season there will be from five hundred to six hundred acres of beets planted near Lehi or twice as many as last season.

But this is not all. In the State of Colorado itself experiments have been made which prove beyond a doubt the high saccharine quality of the beets grown on the soil of this State. About four miles from Montrose, Colorado, beets have been grown, which, upon being tested, showed 21.6 per cent of saccharine matter, with a coefficient of purity of 95 per cent. These beets were grown by amateurs and without special care. The soil in which they were grown is alluvial, with a mixture of [illegible] and silica. The [illegible] thousands of [illegible] in other parts of the State, Utah and Nebraska, and probably Kansas and New Mexico, where the conditions are not essentially similar.

Still further, the experiments made at the State Agricultural College, while yielding results not quite so rich as those obtained at Montrose, show that a good paying percentage of saccharine matter may be obtained from beets grown at Rocky Ford. Of sixteen different experiments made during the season of 1892, the lowest percentage of saccharine matter obtained was 8.34 per cent, the highest was 18.37 per cent, and the average was 13.75 per cent. The average obtained from seven experiments with the Vilmorin beet was 11 per cent.

As we have said before, the culture of sugar beets is sometimes profitable when the percentage of saccharine matter is as low as 12 and certainly profitable when that percentage is over 13. We have in the experiments noted above a demonstration that beet culture would be profitable in Colorado. The dry volcanic sandy soil of the desert may prove the best soil in the world for roots and saccharine concentration.

Within the next ten years there ought to be a dozen big sugar refineries in the State of Colorado.

THE DUTY ON LEAD ORES.

No general tariff legislation can be enacted at this session of Congress, but there is one particular piece of tariff legislation that might be enacted which would be of very great benefit to the West, and especially to silver producers, and that is the abolition of the present duty on lead ores that contain silver. Formerly silver ores containing lead were admitted duty free. In response to a demand or an apparent demand from some silver producers themselves, these were made dutiable under the McKinley bill. But the very men who were anxious for the duty three years ago are now satisfied that they were wrong. The lead ores are much needed for the lead in the ores for use in reduction with the silver ores that are produced in Colorado and other western states, and it would be a great relief to silver if these lead ores should be admitted as they were before 1890. No elaborate bill is necessary for this, only the erasure of a few words in the present tariff, and we hope it may be done before the fourth of March.

Arrangements have been made by THE GAZETTE for obtaining fuller news from Cripple Creek. Our first aim will be to get the facts and nothing but the facts; our second, to get all the facts. We are aware that this is an unusual view for a newspaper to take of its duty to its readers. Most modern newspapers aim to get all the facts, all the rumors, all the surmises and inventions and imaginative tales possible, leaving their readers to sift the true from the false, the wheat from the chaff. That is not the policy of THE GAZETTE. Our telegraph service is as complete as it is possible to make it, but so far as possible we present facts as facts and rumors as rumors. Our news from Cripple Creek will, we hope, prove entirely trustworthy, while fuller and more complete than ever before.

It is rather surprising that the Populists who are usually so quick to criticise any act of the State militia, should have been so prompt to call it out in Kansas even before there was good reason for such action. Their attempt to make it for partisan purposes proves the low estimate which they put upon it. If the national guard had no better object than to enforce the schemes of political partisanship, the Populist cry for its disbandment would be well founded.

In a spirit of reasonable fairness the Hawaiian annexation treaty should not have been sent to the Senate until the commissioners now on their way to Washington from the Queen had a chance to present their side of the case. If it is right that annexation should take place, it is all the more proper that all the facts should be made known. Haste in such matters is a reasonable ground for criticism.

Considering the fact that a United States court has decided that the Geary bill is unconstitutional, the preparations in San Francisco for the wholesale expulsion of the Chinese are, to say the least, premature.

It may be as well to defer expressing an opinion upon the especial points of the new "annexation" treaty until its exact provisions transpire.

Is the Conversion Complete?

The Springfield Republican commending Judge Gresham as a person worthy to be selected by Mr. Cleveland for a place in the cabinet, says that he is "a moderate protectionist of the school of Garfield and not of McKinley and Harrison. Is this true? A moderate protectionist is obviously not in harmony with the Democratic party, which has acted to throw protection overboard, hook line and sinker. If Gresham is still a protectionist of any degree he will not do.

A moderate protectionist in the cabinet of a president elected for the purpose of purging the statute books of the unconstitutional doctrine of protection would be as out of place as a Quaker leading a cavalry charge. If however Judge Gresham's conversion to the tenets declared at Chicago is so complete that he desires to see protection moderate and is moderate cleaned out he is up to the standard. It is not the recency but the thoroughness of a man's conversion that should be considered in weighing his fitness for a place in office under the new administration.—New York Sun.

STATE NEWS

There are [illegible] pensioners in Colorado.

An enthusiastic revival is in progress at Rifle.

The mountain roads are now free from snow and the stages are running regularly and on time.

The Union Land company are the prospective purchasers of a one half interest in the Victor coal mines at Trinidad.

E. Frieson will address the people on the matter of testing the sugar beet culture in the San Luis valley at the court house tomorrow afternoon just after the close of church exercises. Father Tuoger announced the meeting in church last Sunday and will announce it again to-morrow and there is expected a large crowd in attendance. Let all turn out and hear what Mr. Frieson has to say on the subject. He should receive the hearty co-operation of all in this matter.—Antonito Ledger.

David Gottlieb, president of the newly organized Trinidad San Luis & Pacific Railway company is very enthusiastic and says that the road will surely be built. J. R. Dorsmer will go east on the 28th and on his return will commence grading the road at once. One man has pledged enough money to construct forty miles of the road and Mr. Gottlieb says there will be no difficulty in securing sufficient funds to carry on the work. In addition to tracking the San Luis valley some valuable coal fields west of Trinidad will be tapped. Mr. Gottlieb said further that there was no truth whatever in the published statement that the Union Pacific was behind the scheme, and that the work of grading would commence before the frost was out of the ground.—Denver Republican.

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"If you want to buy a diamond you must be careful to go to a trustworthy house or you will get awfully cheated," said a young man to a friend who contemplated purchasing a diamond. "Do you see this ring?" he added extending one of his hands on which a fine diamond sparkled and glittered in the sunlight. "Well that is a pretty nice sort of a ring and I had a hard time getting it. That's why I like it and that's the reason I warn you to be careful where you go to get one.

"About a year ago I had a surplus $100 bill in my pocket and getting an idea that I would like to invest it in a ring I went down to a jewelry store to make the purchase. There was in the show window an exhibition that drew attention from my finger. It was marked for sale for $100. It struck my fancy and I asked the clerk to show it to me. After examining it with a great deal of care and finding that it would fit my finger I decided that I would take it.

"I am sorry sir," said the clerk, "but we are not allowed to sell now goods but I have the mate to the set in here and you can buy it."

He took the ring to the rear of the counter and when he returned he had a perfect counterpart of the one which I desired. After the usual details I put the ring on my finger took the guarantee which he proffered and started up town and luckily happened to meet a friend who is an excellent judge of diamonds. I was proud of my ring and as you can imagine lost no time in showing it to him.

"Thunder," he exclaimed, "where did you get that chunk of glass? It looks as if it had been run over by a street car."

"I was highly indignant for a moment, but a glance at the ring as I held it up to the light convinced me that he was right. It did look as if it had been run over by car wheels. It was a terrible looking affair without luster or spirit. I had been swindled. The ring I had selected was still in the store, but I had the guarantee, and I determined that on the following day I would have the stone changed, as I was sure that it was all a mistake. But next day I found out differently. They would not exchange the ring for the one I desired, nor would they give me my money back. They were willing to exchange for something else, however and I finally took a diamond ring with a diamond head which cost the same as the other ring.

"The clerk, in gave me a guarantee, and I went away trying to make myself believe that I was satisfied. Inevident proved to be a hoodoo to me. So in a week's time I wanted the ring changed again partially as the recollection of the affair still haunted my mind. Finally I reported to my friend, the diamond expert, for aid and he suggested that he should visit the store while I remained on the sidewalk and after he had told the clerk that he wanted to buy a ring and had found one that was worth $100 he would take his handkerchief from his pocket. This would be a signal for me to come in and take the ring and give the jewelry and guarantee for it.

"Well he went into the store and when he found a ring that pleased him, which happened to be the same ring that we chose, he took his handkerchief from his pocket as we had agreed upon, and I walked in like a little man. My friend asked me if that ring suited me. I took it and gave the guarantee and the diamond ring in exchange for it. The clerk made a terrible rumpus but I was desperate and could not be 'bluffed off.' So I have a ring which is cheap for $100. There are plenty of people being swindled the same way every day but if they will only insist on their rights they will come out all right in the end but I would advise them to buy of a house that does not resort to tricks of that sort."—New York Tribune.

An Experience in the Air

"I had an exciting experience once," said Walter Odell who is at the St. James, and it not only thrilled me but all those who witnessed it. I was superintending the construction of a library building at Evansville, Ind. The building is a beautiful affair massively constructed and one that took a long time to build. We had great blocks of granite to move and elevate. We lifted them all the way from 1 to 80 feet. One particular block was to complete a cornice decoration and it was truly a massive affair. The stone was caught up in the great iron tongs attached to the derrick and some one was compelled to stand on the stone and balance it as it ascended. My men seemed rather diffident in the matter so I more to give them an example than anything else stepped up on the stone and told them to heave away. The little engine was started and aloft I swung up and toward the high corner fully 60 feet in the air.

"As I neared the corner I suddenly felt my base give way and before I could grip my hands I had slipped down to the locks and remained hanging there. Meantime the men below stood gazing, seemingly dumfounded at the accident. I could see them from my awkward position and I shouted a command to reverse the engine and lower me to the ground. It was only an quick order that awakened them to a perception of my condition. When I reached the ground I was mad enough to discharge the entire crew. The second time the stone was elevated they all refused point blank to have anything to do with it. I took my position again and this time safely balanced the block and placed it neatly. But I never will forget my sensation hanging as I did 60 feet in the air by my hands."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Lost His Teeth.

"It fell to earth, I know not where."

The above is a description of a man who fell to earth on Lower Broadway with such force that he lost his false teeth. A large crowd soon collected and he made the generous offer of 50 cents to the man, woman or child who would return to him his teeth in wearing condition. In much less time than it takes to write it there were anywhere from 20 to 30 newsboys diligently searching in the snow for the missing molars. Some time passed and after several false rumors despair began to settle around the mouth which contained so many missing links.

Soon above the noise of the newsboys, floated the magnificent offer of $2 to any man, woman or child who finds my teeth. More newsboys, more noise and less chance of finding the teeth. After becoming chilled to the marrow I decided I could no longer wait to learn the fate of the teeth, I gave and turned away with the sound of $5 to a person who finds my teeth ringing in my ears.

Some hours later I passed that way again and learned that the teeth had been found but at a sacrifice.—New York Herald.

The Taste of Possum

"What yer want for dish yer possum?" inquired an old colored man of a huckster who had several specimens of this edible varmint on a bench in the second street market. "Twenty five cents for that one," replied the huckster as he wrapped up a couple of rails of a German sausage. "Lordy sir," exclaimed the old man, "I been hankerin' after possum ever since I was a pickaninny, an' I jes' can't resist the temptation. Wrap up two of dem rails, sah, an' I'll take them home to my family. Dey will be jes' as pleased as punch when I tell dem I have a possum for supper. I eat dem bones myself and Jordan's waters couldn't wash de taste out of my mouf to-day. Wrap 'em up, mister. What yo' wantin' for 'em? Speak up, mister. What yo' wantin' for 'em?" "Seven cents," replied the old man parted with his quarter and walked off with his possum stopping on his way home only to buy a peck of sweet potatoes.—Louisville Commercial.

A Bridge of Salt

In grading a road of solid salt in what is known as the Death Valley we found a stretch of solid salt about eight miles in [illegible]. There was scarcely a level square inch on the whole bed for the salt crust had—probably through the influence of heat from above and moisture from below—been torn and twisted and thrown up in the most fantastic peaks, pyramids and crinkles imaginable.

Judging that the crust would sustain the weight of wagons the workmen swung the sledge hammers day after day until they had beaten down these pinnacles into a smooth way six feet wide. It was perhaps the most laborious engineering work ever done in the country for the climate and location, far from civilized habitations combined to retard the efforts of the workmen. The roadway when completed led over what may properly be called a naturally formed bridge of salt eight miles long, the only bridge of the kind in the world.—Age of Steel.

A Quiet Neighborhood

A gentleman went to inspect a suite of rooms in the Mariposa quarter. The concierge showed him around. The visitor hesitated—on seeing which the porter's wife, by way of clinching the argument, said pointing to the cemetery through an open window:

"And then such quiet neighbors!"—Charivari.

The Numbers on Dwelling Houses.

"This is the worst town I ever came to find an address after dark," said a Boston man who was wandering up and down West Fifty-seventh street. The day was spent in looking for the number on a house. "It is easy enough to find a street in New York but when it comes to a number a Jersey lawyer would be puzzled. Look along this street for instance. You will not find many houses with a number on the vestibule door and a light to see it by, but you will find some with numbers on the inside door or on a small plate outside and how is one to be guided? I have climbed four stoops and have not a clew yet. There was a plate on one door but it was so dark that I could not make out the figures and at the other place I doubt whether there was a number. Of course it's all right when you get a start to count the houses, but the trouble is in getting that start. In Boston we put the number of a house on the street lamp standing in front of it, and there is no trouble in finding what you want."—New York Times.

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Transfer books close 10 days prior to date of meeting.

Date of notice, January 30th, 1893.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS

The stockholders of The Wet Blanket Milling Company are hereby notified that there will be a meeting of the stockholders of said company, on the 20th day of March, 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the office of the company, for the purpose of considering proposed amendments to the articles of incorporation, also for the purpose of passing on the sale of certain properties of said company.

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Rev E F Carr ... on for a talk stating ... lately arisen from ... could not talk much but ... the institute had ... in the work in which ... "It is truly God's work ... man God bless you ...

Hon Owen Pratt ... of encouragement ... called the attention ... the bill now pending ... Assembly asking for ... money now used ... the purpose of preventing ... tablishing a Keeley Institute ... five per cent. of the ... is caused by drunkenness ... Prentiss "and the way to ... is to use your influence ...

Mr W A Lloyd secretary ... M C A said that the ... association were open to the ... 365 days in the year and ... a day

Major Insley said ... year they had received ... one man or woman ... ment Out of 287 men ... the cure only four half ... their old habits The institute ... spent $36,962 in this city ... same period and there were ... graduates in the state of ...

The second half of the ... consisted of selections by the orchestra ... an excellent baritone solo by W H ... Stote entitled Italian Boatman ... a piano solo by Prof Pratt ... solo, "Lohengrin by Prof ... a song by Mrs Ernest Whitney ... the Keeley League song and a stirring address ... "Keeleyism and the ... by Judge J W Mullahey

COLORADO COLLEGE

The College base ball team will play the High school next week

Mr H J Ba... is a new freshman who entered the college this week

Mr Hodge, Savery and Boland have entered the college as special students.

The ... lecture will give the ethical talk ... on the subject of "Responsibility"

On account of the large number of students who will go to Denver this morning, all recitations will be omitted for the day

The College Young Womens Christian will hold ... regular meeting at ... at Montgomery hall next Sunday afternoon at 4:30

Prof ... Mustard is preparing an American edition of the selections from Ovid published in the Macmillan series of classics

The ... number of The American Chemical Journal contains a twelve page article by Prof ... Carnegie entitled "On the Peroxides and So called Double Halides"

The Military company held a meeting last Monday and re-elected the following ... officers Captain W M Hertzberg first lieutenant, M C Bland second lieutenant, J M. Davis.

Secretary Noyes of the summer school has received a letter of inquiry from a young Japanese ... in Omaha, Japan who wishes to attend the school for the purpose of studying elocution

The Colorado Springs Music club held a meeting in the college chapel last Monday afternoon This club includes a number of ladies connected with the college and meets in the chapel on alternate Monday afternoons.

The College Young Mens Christian association will meet as usual at Hagerman hall next Sunday afternoon at half past four Mr G K Olmsted will lead All young men of the College and Academy are very cordially invited to attend

An amateur theatrical entertainment will be given about March 1st by friends of the college in the city for the benefit of the Pentagon fund Music will be furnished by college students and the affair cannot fail to be successful in every way

It has been found that the receipts from the young ladies entertainment last week were considerably larger than at first reported Thirty dollars instead of $20 was the amount netted which will be quite an addition to the scholarship fund of the Educational society

The ethical talk this week was given by Prof ... Parsons on the subject of "Reverence." He defined reverence as the attitude which the normally developed person always takes toward many of stations of the Divine Irreverence comes from either immaturity or shallowness Deep thinking and experience are the sources of reverence and the means by which it is cultivated

Last Tuesday morning the recitation room of Palmer hall was completely filled by an interested audience at the lecture of Dr J T Eskridge of Denver on The Brain and Brain Function The lecture was an exceedingly interesting one, and merited a larger audience than can gather in a recitation room The next lecture in the series will be given next Tuesday morning in The Localization of Brain Function

The young ladies of Montgomery hall are planning to give, in their rooms, entertainments for the benefit of the Woman's Educational society a colonial reception at which George and Martha Washington will receive the guests, and where everything will be conducted with the old time ceremony and grace The reception will take place on the evening of Washington's birthday February and will be sure to attract a large attendance.

The delegates from the Colorado College to the ...

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COLORADO CITY ITEMS

The Pancake social given by the ladies of the Episcopal church on Tuesday evening was a pleasant affair and was enjoyed by about one hundred The $30 netted will be used to fence the church property

The new boat ... the Grand ... company ... the great question in all minds It is fully believed that the plant will be changed from its windy position to one more sheltered near town

There are no empty dwellings in town and as many as ten are under construction for individuals This shows a healthy growth that when spring comes will develop into activity that will give work to all ... contractors.

The growth of the business of the Iron Pass Park company from all parts of the state and country is a promise of an increase of building and improvements The company is pushed to fill the orders that come in from their road men

With the coming of E S Breiber the new agent of the Colorado Midland railway there is hope that the town may see ... established before many months in a building and office as comfortable as the one he is occupied while agent ... Grande

The ladies of the Baptist church held a social reception in the W C T U hall Wednesday evening Washington's birthday General and Mrs Washington and Thomas Jefferson will receive the guests Costumes of the olden times will be worn by many Supper will be served at a cost of ...

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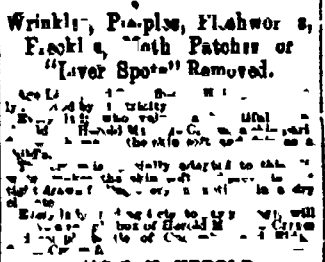

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1

DAILY WEA[illegible]

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Highest [illegible] pressure in inches	24 97
Lowest [illegible] pressure in inches	23 97
Mean velocity of wind miles per hour	15
Maximum velocity of wind and direction	30 ne
Relative humidity at 6 a m	44
Relative humidity at 12 m	27
Relative humidity at 6 p m	43
Mean relative humidity	35
Mean dew point	11
Precipitation in inches	0

Mr Edward Ferris spent yesterday in Denver on real estate business

Omer Gillett has been elected third lieutenant of the High School Cadet Cadets

Mr. Clay H White, deputy clerk of the district court who is ill with kidney trouble, was reported better yesterday

The Jack Pot Mining company has filed its annual statement with the county clerk It shows a cash balance in the treasury of $12 20 and no debts

At a meeting of the Jackson Hose company last evening committees were appointed and other preparations made to insure the success of the Jackson ball on the 17th of March

H S Balcomb has been awarded the contract for the alterations and additions to the residence of J K Miller on North Nevada avenue The work will be begun at once and will cost $7,000

Myrtle Lodge No 34, K of P will celebrate its anniversary on the 20th of this month when the handsome lodge room and Whitbeck's dancing hall will be thrown open to the many friends of the order

Mr A P. Everett, a letter carrier in the Colorado Springs postoffice, and Miss Lorena Arquette were married on Wednesday evening, the Rev H E Warner, pastor of the First M E church, officiating

A social will be given to-night by El Paso lodge No 13 A F & A M., to all Masons and their families Visiting members cordially invited to attend. Cards, dancing and supper will be the order of the evening

For the exhibition of Colorado articles for World's Fair at Denver the D & R G will sell tickets at $3.50 for the round trip. Tickets on sale February 20th good to return February 21. Call at ticket office, 16 North Tejon street.

Mr. S. G. Paddock who has recently retired from the hotel business at Glenwood Springs, has arrived in this city to make it his home Mr. Paddock was for twenty years a member of the school board of an Illinois town He remodeled the Colorado Springs High school the finest in the west

The new sanitarium of the Colorado City works is on the ground and is making preparations for the reception of the plant nearer town. A [illegible] of experiments is now being made with the mineral discovered by Professor Keck in Cheyenne mountain and which is of great value in glassmaking

It is quite probable that the school for the deaf and blind will get its $10,000 appropriation or at least a large share of it The industrial building will be the first to be reconstructed. It is also probable that Superintendent Ray will be called to Denver to appear before the committee of public institutions and state buildings

About fifty officers and teachers of the First M E. Sunday school gathered at the residence of Mr R. H. Woodland, superintendent of the school, No. 538 East Platte avenue, last evening An enjoyable evening was spent included in which was a short programme and a discussion of topics concerning Sunday school work.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a Martha Washington tea party in the parlors of the church on Tuesday evening, Feb 21 Supper will be served "in ye olden time in ye olden costume," at early candle light. In the evening an elaborate programme will be rendered, consisting of songs, tableaux, and instrumental music

In the district court late last evening the suit of Herman Teitje vs Wm R Morson was decided for the plaintiff The suit was over the Eclipse lode Plaintiff sought to have a bond and lease given defendants set aside, claiming that defendant at the time he secured the option, had obtained pay mineral and concealed the fact from Teitje

Death of George Aux

Mr George Aux was found dead on his bed on a ranch in Elizabeth, in Elbert county, yesterday morning It is not known yet what caused the death of Mr Aux He was out to a ball only the night previous and no reason for his sudden demise is evident. It is stated that Mr Aux only a few weeks ago had his life insured for $20,000 which may or may not be important in connection with his death

Up to a few years ago Mr Aux was engaged in the livery business in this city and was well known here Of late he has been engaged in raising finely bred horses on his ranch

Petitions Stolen at Camp

The members of the committee appointed to oppose the division of El Paso county are indignant over the theft of two largely signed petitions against county division On Friday last a member of the committee from this city went to Cripple Creek to secure the petition which had something over two hundred names attached to it representing many of the largest business houses and mines of the camp

Within an hour of his arrival the petition was stolen from where it lay on a table at the Carey House awaiting further signatures

A second petition was soon drawn up and was placed in the hands of a well known citizen of the camp Within two days he had secured nearly 200 names opposing division Mr C L. Tutt of this city held the petition and after signing it at the above hotel, laid it for a moment [illegible] while he was absent from the room It suddenly disappeared and no one knew anything about it [illegible] indignant over the [illegible] of the division [illegible]

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A [illegible] of 10,000 World [illegible] at 4½c.

A [illegible] Hedy, 500 Contact and 1000 Bu[illegible] changing hands

Work stock was held at 90 yesterday A few small blocks were sold at 8¾c

A sale of 500 shares of Mollie Gibson was reported yesterday The stock was sent to Pittsburg

Sixteen cars of ore were shipped from this camp to the Denver market last week [Prospector

Anaconda was quoted at 38 cents The stock is climbing a little every day and very rarely moves back a point

Mr W. G Martin, superintendent of the Summit Mining company was in the city yesterday and left last evening for his home in Canon City

Mr John Sprague the mining broker, paid $10 for a single share of Mollie Gibson yesterday He got the certificate and will have it framed The quotation on the stock was $7 00

Messrs Peyton Bronson and others of this city who are the owners of a claim at Poncha pass near Salida were showing some ore in this city yesterday which runs about [illegible] ounces of silver and one of gold to the ton

The Roseclaire Mining and Milling company of Cripple Creek, the syndicate that erected the French mill there, has just received from the Colorado Iron works an 80 horse power boiler, and a 20 horse power engine, a complete electric light plant six perfecting concentrators, heavy hammered shafting with boxes and pulleys, etc, twenty sets of ore grate irons, an automatic sampler, and a line of other sundry supplies.

In the window of A F Broege on Pike's Peak avenue, was displayed yesterday some fine galena ore from the Big Four mine on the West Spanish peak This property lies within a few miles of where the magnificent specimen of ore was obtained, the assay of which was published in THE GAZETTE about two months ago, which ran $166,000 per ton. Mr A E Dickerman the secretary of the Big Four Mining and Smelting company, is on his way east to clinch a deal for stock already contracted for in Connecticut This mining district is already attracting a good deal of attention among Denver and eastern capitalists.

The Welles Assignment

The firm of E F Welles & Co, dealers in carriages, harness, etc, made a voluntary assignment yesterday for the benefit of creditors to Judge E A Colburn

The nominal assets of the firm are about $35,000 and the liabilities about $15,000 The assets consist of a black team carriage stock and fixtures and book accounts. Mr Welles has also turned over all his property, including 1500 Star of the West mining stock, 5500 of Ophir stock, a lot in Monumant, one at Austin's Bluff and a house and lot on North Weber street, with other minor assets, all footing up to $35,727 13.

The claims of creditors as filed with the county clerk are as follows E. H. Babcock & Co., Watertown, N. Y., open account, $5,956.17, note and interest, $2,075, First National Bank of Marietta Ohio, $4,000; Helss & Woodrow of Chillicothe, Ohio, notes of $5,040, Austin Bluff Land and Water company, note of $3,225; George DeB. Keim & Co., Philadelphia, note of $1,036 35, G W. Lynch, Jr., & Co., Philadelphia, notes of $1,048 92, James Colley & Co., Pittsburg, Pa., $156, D. W Robbins city, $600; estate of P. Hayden, Newark, N. J., $245 74, L. Kipper & Sons, Chicago, $309 41, S H Frank & Co, San Francisco, nominal, Rice Bros, city, $125, Hattie W Welles note and interest, $1,251.36, John DeWitt Peltz, Albany, N Y., $7,000 in notes There are several other nominal sums included

Mr Welles was forced to the assignment through inability to make collections and by reason of a general decline in business The assignment is made to protect creditors, and it is thought Mr Welles's embarrassment will be but temporary

Judge Colburn, the assignee, stated yesterday that he thought the creditors would be paid every dollar due them

A Wreck on the Santa Fe

KANSAS CITY, Mo, Feb. 16 —Another passenger wreck was reported on the Santa Fe this morning The wreck was caused by the derailment at Hurdland Mo, of the second section of passenger train No 3, due here from Chicago at 12 10 noon The forward coaches left the track just after striking the trestle but only the last car, a sleeper went over the embankment The car was wrecked, but no one was killed and, so far as reported only two passengers were injured Trains on the Chicago line were delayed about six hours

The Wyoming Contest

CHEYENNE, Wyo, Feb 16 —Four ballots were taken to-day for United States senator without choice The feature was the entrance of a new candidate R H Homer of Laramie The vote on the last ballot was Edward Ivinson (Rep) 1 John C. Davis (Rep) 1 George T Beck (Dem) 1, George W Baxter (Dem) 6, Robert H Homer (Dem) 9 William Brown (Pop) 9, John Charles Thompson (Dem) 1, De Forest Richards (Rep) 2, C D Clark (Rep) 6, F E Warren (Rep) 10 W A Hocker (Dem) 1

Reported Raid of Indians

El Paso, Feb. 16.—The Times is to-night in receipt of what seems to be reliable information that The Kid and his band of noted Indian desperadoes have been utterly routed only The Kid himself escaping death or capture The details of the capture are not at hand, except that the gang went into the San Carlos reservation on a lark and was betrayed into the hands of the police

The Government Sustained

LONDON, Feb 16 The chamber of deputies to-day voted by 315 to 206 to proceed to the order of the day as amended by the ministry thus defeating the attempt of the Bourgeoisie and Reactionists to overthrow the government

A Small Earthquake

OMAHA, Feb 16 Northwestern Nebraska, southern South Dakota and eastern Wyoming were yesterday visited by an earthquake yesterday A slight tremor of the earth was noticed accompanied by a rumbling sound

Silver Mines to be Closed

ST LOUIS, Feb 16 A special from Boise City says Advices from the Coeur d'Alene district and lead mining district in Shoshone county Idaho are that owing to the low price of silver the mines will be shut down a few days be completed to shut down

No Election in Washington

OLYMPIA, Wash, Feb. 16 The sixty seventh and sixty eighth ballots were taken to-day for United States senator without choice [illegible] in an election

[illegible] ASSETS REPRESENTED OVER $200,000,000.

Mutual Life of New York	$[illegible]	Alliance of London	$[illegible]
Continental of New York	[illegible]	North American, Phila	[illegible]
Hartford of Hartford	[illegible]	Commercial of N. Y	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible] of Philadelphia	[illegible]
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I WILL SELL

1000 [illegible] at	[illegible]
500 Work at	[illegible]
500 World at	04½
100 Aspen Contact at	[illegible]
200 Bandora at	[illegible]
100 Mollie Gibson at	[illegible]
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Owing to the success of our special discount sale during the past two weeks, we have decided to continue the sale

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All goods at 20 per cent. discount except Toile du Nord Ginghams, Muslins and Centemeri Kid Gloves

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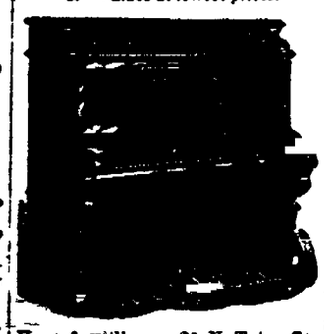

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